

Ohio County Profiles

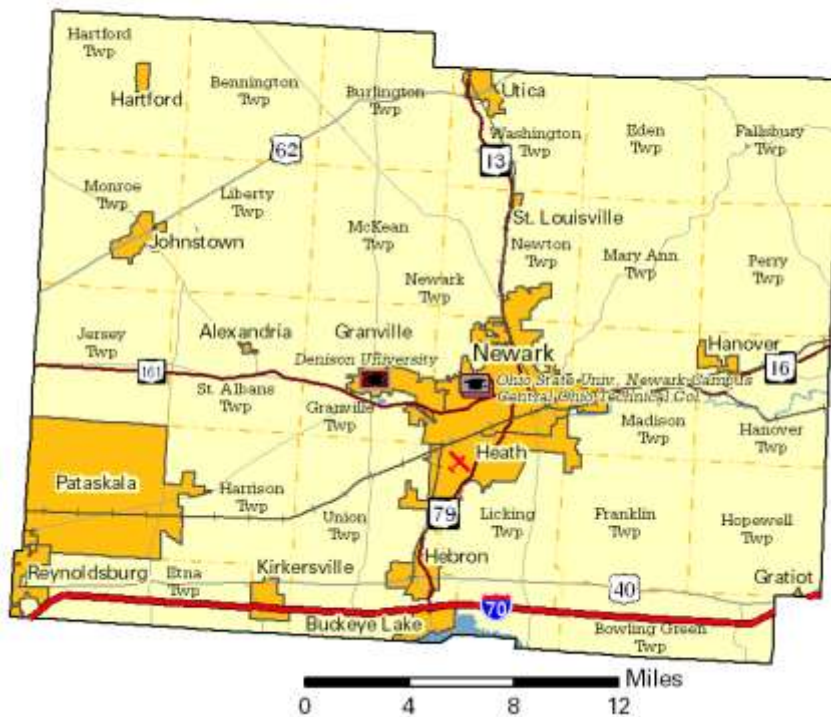


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2020 Edition

Licking County

Established: Act - March 1, 1808
 2019 Population: 176,862
 Land Area: 686.5 square miles
 County Seat: Newark City
 Named for: Licking River, for the nearby salt licks



Taxes

Taxable value of real property	\$4,181,353,015
Residential	\$3,113,377,290
Agriculture	\$334,900,050
Industrial	\$173,798,260
Commercial	\$557,580,550
Mineral	\$1,696,865
Ohio income tax liability	\$105,134,791
Average per return	\$1,326.52

Land Use/Land Cover

	Percent
Developed, Lower Intensity	9.81%
Developed, Higher Intensity	1.80%
Barren (strip mines, gravel pits, etc.)	0.08%
Forest	36.07%
Shrub/Scrub and Grasslands	0.82%
Pasture/Hay	21.23%
Cultivated Crops	29.27%
Wetlands	0.36%
Open Water	0.55%

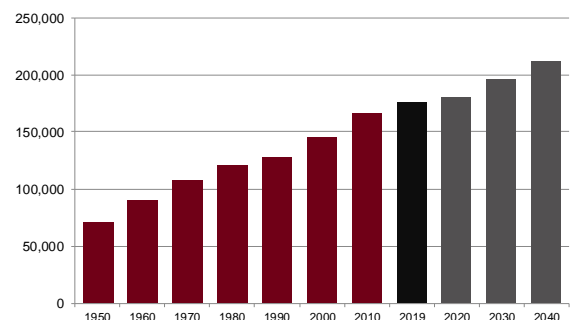
Largest Places

	Est. 2019	Census 2010
Newark city	50,315	47,573
Pataskala city	15,883	14,962
Heath city	10,942	10,310
Reynoldsburg city (pt.)	9,300	8,826
Etna twp UB	8,851	8,311
Harrison twp UB	7,540	7,036
Granville vlg	5,916	5,646
Johnstown vlg	5,098	4,632
Licking twp UB	4,949	4,630
Granville twp UB	4,363	4,143

UB: Unincorporated balance.

Total Population

Census		Estimated	
1800		1910	55,590
1810	3,852	1920	56,426
1820	11,861	1930	59,962
1830	20,869	1940	62,279
1840	35,096	1950	70,645
1850	38,846	1960	90,242
1860	37,011	1970	107,799
1870	35,756	1980	120,981
1880	40,450	1990	128,300
1890	43,279	2000	145,491
1900	47,070	2010	166,492
		2014	169,410
		2015	170,611
		2016	171,993
		2017	173,617
		2018	175,666
		2019	176,862
		Projected	
		2020	180,860
		2030	196,570
		2040	212,370



Population by Race	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	172,293	100.0%
White	158,208	91.8%
African-American	6,582	3.8%
Native American	214	0.1%
Asian	2,009	1.2%
Pacific Islander	18	0.0%
Other	877	0.5%
Two or More Races	4,385	2.5%
Hispanic (may be of any race)	3,154	1.8%
Total Minority	16,230	9.4%

Educational Attainment	Number	Percent
Persons 25 years and over	116,088	100.0%
No high school diploma	10,209	8.8%
High school graduate	40,348	34.8%
Some college, no degree	24,451	21.1%
Associate degree	10,678	9.2%
Bachelor's degree	20,242	17.4%
Master's degree or higher	10,160	8.8%

Family Type by Employment Status	Number	Percent
Total Families	44,476	100.0%
Married couple, husband and wife in labor force	18,988	42.7%
Married couple, husband in labor force, wife not	6,146	13.8%
Married couple, wife in labor force, husband not	2,913	6.5%
Married couple, husband and wife not in labor force	6,488	14.6%
Male householder, in labor force	1,851	4.2%
Male householder, not in labor force	493	1.1%
Female householder, in labor force	5,224	11.7%
Female householder, not in labor force	2,373	5.3%

Household Income	Number	Percent
Total Households	64,016	100.0%
Less than \$10,000	3,188	5.0%
\$10,000 to \$19,999	5,621	8.8%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	5,645	8.8%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	5,749	9.0%
\$40,000 to \$49,999	5,739	9.0%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	4,924	7.7%
\$60,000 to \$74,999	6,341	9.9%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	9,425	14.7%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	10,830	16.9%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	3,475	5.4%
\$200,000 or more	3,079	4.8%
Median household income	\$62,715	

Population by Age	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	172,293	100.0%
Under 5 years	10,393	6.0%
5 to 17 years	29,975	17.4%
18 to 24 years	15,837	9.2%
25 to 44 years	40,747	23.6%
45 to 64 years	48,200	28.0%
65 years and more	27,141	15.8%
Median Age	39.7	

Family Type by Presence of Own Children Under 18	Number	Percent
Total Families	44,667	100.0%
Married-couple families with own children	12,927	28.9%
Male householder, no wife present, with own children	1,388	3.1%
Female householder, no husband present, with own children	4,191	9.4%
Families with no own children	26,161	58.6%

Poverty Status of Families By Family Type by Presence Of Related Children	Number	Percent
Total Families	44,667	100.0%
Family income above poverty level	41,191	92.2%
Family income below poverty level	3,476	7.8%
Married couple, with related children	810	23.3%
Male householder, no wife present, with related children	272	7.8%
Female householder, no husband present, with related children	1,863	53.6%
Families with no related children	531	15.3%

Ratio of Income To Poverty Level	Number	Percent
Population for whom poverty status is determined	167,957	100.0%
Below 50% of poverty level	8,478	5.0%
50% to 99% of poverty level	10,623	6.3%
100% to 124% of poverty level	6,144	3.7%
125% to 149% of poverty level	6,638	4.0%
150% to 184% of poverty level	10,290	6.1%
185% to 199% of poverty level	3,926	2.3%
200% of poverty level or more	121,858	72.6%

Geographical Mobility	Number	Percent
Population aged 1 year and older	170,175	100.0%
Same house as previous year	146,693	86.2%
Different house, same county	12,505	7.3%
Different county, same state	8,436	5.0%
Different state	2,228	1.3%
Abroad	313	0.2%

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

Travel Time To Work	Number	Percent
Workers 16 years and over	78,448	100.0%
Less than 15 minutes	21,603	27.5%
15 to 29 minutes	25,217	32.1%
30 to 44 minutes	17,717	22.6%
45 to 59 minutes	8,890	11.3%
60 minutes or more	5,021	6.4%

Mean travel time 26.0 minutes

Housing Units	Number	Percent
Total housing units	70,647	100.0%
Occupied housing units	64,016	90.6%
Owner occupied	46,611	72.8%
Renter occupied	17,405	27.2%
Vacant housing units	6,631	9.4%

Year Structure Built	Number	Percent
Total housing units	70,647	100.0%
Built 2014 or later	700	1.0%
Built 2010 to 2013	1,300	1.8%
Built 2000 to 2009	10,204	14.4%
Built 1990 to 1999	12,203	17.3%
Built 1980 to 1989	6,939	9.8%
Built 1970 to 1979	10,590	15.0%
Built 1960 to 1969	8,221	11.6%
Built 1950 to 1959	6,171	8.7%
Built 1940 to 1949	2,974	4.2%
Built 1939 or earlier	11,345	16.1%

Median year built 1976

Value for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units	46,611	100.0%
Less than \$20,000	1,204	2.6%
\$20,000 to \$39,999	788	1.7%
\$40,000 to \$59,999	1,377	3.0%
\$60,000 to \$79,999	2,253	4.8%
\$80,000 to \$99,999	3,791	8.1%
\$100,000 to \$124,999	5,339	11.5%
\$125,000 to \$149,999	4,737	10.2%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	11,093	23.8%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	9,749	20.9%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	4,775	10.2%
\$500,000 to \$999,999	1,340	2.9%
\$1,000,000 or more	165	0.4%

Median value \$164,100

House Heating Fuel	Number	Percent
Occupied housing units	64,016	100.0%
Utility gas	41,293	64.5%
Bottled, tank or LP gas	5,823	9.1%
Electricity	12,504	19.5%
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	1,549	2.4%
Coal, coke or wood	2,195	3.4%
Solar energy or other fuel	566	0.9%
No fuel used	86	0.1%

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Gross Rent	Number	Percent
Specified renter-occupied housing units	17,405	100.0%
Less than \$100	0	0.0%
\$100 to \$199	290	1.7%
\$200 to \$299	553	3.2%
\$300 to \$399	457	2.6%
\$400 to \$499	1,008	5.8%
\$500 to \$599	1,550	8.9%
\$600 to \$699	1,823	10.5%
\$700 to \$799	1,897	10.9%
\$800 to \$899	1,838	10.6%
\$900 to \$999	1,893	10.9%
\$1,000 to \$1,499	3,732	21.4%
\$1,500 or more	1,277	7.3%
No cash rent	1,087	6.2%

Median gross rent \$832

Median gross rent as a percentage of household income 28.2

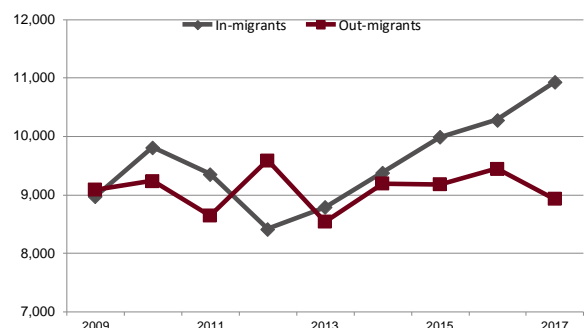
Selected Monthly Owner Costs for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units with a mortgage	31,749	100.0%
Less than \$400	160	0.5%
\$400 to \$599	970	3.1%
\$600 to \$799	2,474	7.8%
\$800 to \$999	4,314	13.6%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	5,818	18.3%
\$1,250 to \$1,499	5,069	16.0%
\$1,500 to \$1,999	7,965	25.1%
\$2,000 to \$2,999	3,879	12.2%
\$3,000 or more	1,100	3.5%

Median monthly owners cost \$1,355

Median monthly owners cost as a percentage of household income 19.3

Vital Statistics	Number	Rate
Births / rate per 1,000 women aged 15 to 44	2,003	61.2
Teen births / rate per 1,000 females 15-19	97	17.0
Deaths / rate per 100,000 population	1,754	998.5

Domestic Migration



Agriculture

Land in farms (acres)	220,486
Number of farms	1,583
Average size (acres)	139
Total cash receipts	\$185,397,000
Per farm	\$117,118
Receipts for crops	\$83,598,000
Receipts for livestock/products	\$101,800,000

Education

Traditional public schools buildings	52
Students	29,112
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	1,901.5
Expenditures per student	\$8,477
Graduation rate	93.2
Community/charter schools buildings	1
Students	253
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	14.4
Expenditures per student	\$9,986
Graduation rate	
Private schools	6
Students	1,089
4-year public universities	0
Regional campuses	1
2-year public colleges/satellites	2
Ohio Technical Centers	1
Private universities and colleges	1
Public libraries (Districts / Facilities)	5 / 10

Transportation

Registered motor vehicles	211,510
Passenger cars	135,689
Noncommercial trucks	32,947
Total license revenue	\$5,699,254.37
Permissive tax revenue	\$2,957,352.50
Interstate highway miles	29.42
Turnpike miles	0.00
U.S. highway miles	50.78
State highway miles	184.52
County, township, and municipal road miles	1,637.55
Commercial airports	1

Health Care

Physicians	221
Registered hospitals	2
Number of beds	248
Licensed nursing homes	11
Number of beds	993
Licensed residential care	10
Number of beds	755
Persons with health insurance (Aged 0 to 64)	92.9%
Adults with insurance (Aged 18 to 64)	91.8%
Children with insurance (Aged Under 19)	95.6%

Communications

Television stations	0
Radio stations	4
Daily newspapers	1
Circulation	5,011
Average monthly unique visitors	295,188
Weekly newspapers	2
Circulation	2,597
Average monthly unique visitors	0
Online only	0
Average monthly unique visitors	0

Crime

Total crimes reported in Uniform Crime Report	3,816
Violent crime	204
Property crime	3,612

Finance

FDIC insured financial institutions (HQs)	3
Assets (000)	\$8,057,297
Branch offices	48
Institutions represented	14

Transfer Payments

Total transfer payments	\$1,496,505,000
Payments to individuals	\$1,455,177,000
Retirement and disability	\$561,935,000
Medical payments	\$681,796,000
Income maintenance (Supplemental SSI, family assistance, food stamps, etc)	\$103,245,000
Unemployment benefits	\$11,506,000
Veterans benefits	\$53,407,000
Federal education and training assistance	\$28,187,000
Other payments to individuals	\$15,101,000
Total personal income	\$8,095,725,000
Dependency ratio	18.5%
(Percent of income from transfer payments)	

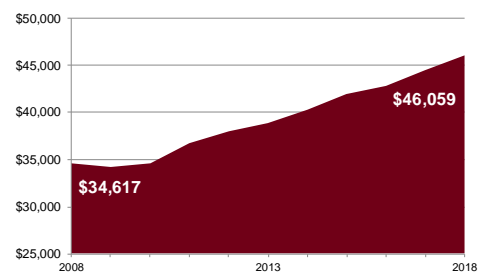
Voting

Number of registered voters	121,698
Voted in 2018 election	69,832
Percent turnout	57.4%

State Parks, Forests, Nature Preserves, Scenic Waterways, And Wildlife Areas

Areas/Facilities	8
Acreage	3,099

Per Capita Personal Income



Civilian Labor Force

	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
Civilian labor force	90,500	89,400	88,800	88,200	86,800
Employed	87,200	85,900	85,000	84,300	83,000
Unemployed	3,400	3,500	3,800	3,900	3,900
Unemployment rate	3.7	4.0	4.2	4.4	4.5

Establishments, Employment, and Wages by Sector: 2018

Industrial Sector	Number of Establishments	Average Employment	Total Wages	Average Weekly Wage
Private Sector	3,264	51,609	\$2,141,167,051	\$798
Goods-Producing	567	11,148	\$583,589,613	\$1,007
Natural Resources and Mining	68	869	\$35,339,030	\$782
Construction	346	2,771	\$138,906,648	\$964
Manufacturing	153	7,509	\$409,343,935	\$1,048
Service-Providing	2,697	40,461	\$1,557,577,438	\$740
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	747	15,795	\$562,650,904	\$685
Information	44	247	\$12,617,369	\$983
Financial Services	357	2,789	\$173,227,261	\$1,195
Professional and Business Services	551	5,463	\$268,406,856	\$945
Education and Health Services	369	7,832	\$357,260,690	\$877
Leisure and Hospitality	389	6,128	\$98,344,215	\$309
Other Services	237	2,199	\$84,835,168	\$742
Federal Government		359	\$25,868,052	\$1,384
State Government		1,025	\$66,814,019	\$1,254
Local Government		6,770	\$302,207,406	\$858

Private Sector total includes Unclassified establishments not shown.

Change Since 2013

Private Sector	10.0%	18.5%	34.5%	13.5%
Goods-Producing	5.4%	16.9%	34.5%	15.1%
Natural Resources and Mining	6.3%	25.8%	60.7%	27.8%
Construction	7.8%	21.4%	36.9%	12.7%
Manufacturing	-0.6%	14.4%	31.8%	15.2%
Service-Producing	11.1%	18.9%	34.5%	13.0%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	10.5%	44.4%	53.3%	6.2%
Information	41.9%	-33.4%	-16.2%	25.7%
Financial Services	14.4%	-5.9%	12.3%	19.4%
Professional and Business Services	17.5%	12.8%	24.8%	10.7%
Education and Health Services	17.5%	5.7%	21.9%	15.2%
Leisure and Hospitality	7.8%	3.1%	23.7%	20.2%
Other Services	-7.4%	43.6%	150.7%	74.6%
Federal Government		0.3%	13.8%	13.3%
State Government		34.7%	59.0%	18.1%
Local Government		5.6%	19.1%	12.7%

Residential

Construction	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Total units	280	291	263	261	262
Total valuation (000)	\$69,198	\$72,585	\$69,424	\$66,161	\$79,169
Total single-unit bldgs	269	291	259	251	257
Average cost per unit	\$252,907	\$249,432	\$264,032	\$257,224	\$305,241
Total multi-unit bldg units	11	0	4	10	5
Average cost per unit	\$106,031	\$0	\$259,900	\$159,817	\$144,408

Major & Notable Employers

Amazon	Trade
Anomatic Corp	Mfg
Ascena Retail Group	Trade
Boeing Co	Serv
Denison University	Serv
Licking County Government	Govt
Licking Heights Local Schools	Govt
Licking Memorial Health Systems	Serv
Newark City Schools	Govt
Owens-Corning	Mfg
Park National Bank	Fin
State Farm Mutual Automobile Ins Co	Ins